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acter or be a failure in the making of good citizens. We are agreed that the state's work is to make good citizens. Hers it is to protect the rights of the law abiding and to prevent lawlessness and injustice. Daniel Webster declared that "the right to punish crime involves the duty to teach morals." The state must be concerned about the morals of her citizens even more than the intellectual attainments. Great emphasis is added to this statement by the fact that all the nations which have perished have gone down thru the vices and crimes of her own people.

Believing, then, that it is the state duty to develop character, how is it to be done to the best advantage? By courts and penal institutions to care for the incorrigible and the lawless? Not so. No more than the farmer can secure his best crop by letting weeds and corn grow together until harvest. By proper cultivation the weeds are hindered while the crop is helped to grow. So the state by proper cultivation of the virgin soil of her children and youth is able to keep down the crop of moral weeds that destroy character and usefulness of her citizens. It may be necessary for the courts to gather a few of the moral weeds and decide how best to dispose of them. However chief attention is to be given to development of fruitful characters.

Now the public school is the best place the state has to cultivate character. This is true because all the coming citizens are touched by these schools, except the incoming adult foreigners who may become citizens.

The National Reform Assn., lately said "The supreme heed of the nation is not for intelligent or mental culture in her citizens, important as these are, but that they shall be men and women of good moral character, able to distinguish between right and wrong, and resolved to do what is right and to avoid and resist what is wrong. The chief end, therefore, of the schools, to be held supreme above all mere intellectual culture, is to develop the moral nature of the pupils." We recall words of appreciation by a school patron that show how parents desire the moral touch in the school. This mother was not especially pious. But she spoke of a primary teacher as one "who taught not only books but manners and morals as well."

There is a deep interest in our denomination and others in establishing chairs of English Bible in all of our denominational colleges. A splendid step that must result in great good. But it will teach comparatively few. Only 200,000 students are in all the colleges, universities and professional schools of the U. S. while there are over 19 millions in the public schools. With the bible in the public schools it will touch ninety-five times as many lives as in the institutions of higher learning and at a time when life is more plastic.

But when you deal with morals, we must say of the bible "Whence shall we go, thou hast the words" we need. All that is good in any code of morals has come from the bible and there is nothing so good for the growing of good citizens.

The bible was the basis upon which our forefathers founded our government and our school system. How shocked they would be to see how far we have strayed from it in some things.

### 'HIGH' CADETS HOLD DRILL

Tuesday afternoon the high school cadets with an enrollment of fifty held their first drill exercise of the season. While the new uniforms have not arrived the cadets were put through various exercises under the supervision of Captain Test, and will no doubt be in first class condition when the uniforms get here. The officers for the coming term are, adj. J. W. Prater; Colonel, C. M. Williams; Captain, Fred Test; 1st. Lieutenant, Rowland Koenig; 2nd. Lieutenant, Joy Husted; Quarter Master, Byron Neeb; Bugler, J. Duncan.

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### PUBLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION

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that resulted from this splendid attempt at public education. Suffice it to say that the kingdom prospered greatly.

Our purpose is rather to see what was his view of education. Was it simply to instruct the mind? That was needed then as much as now. But something else was much more necessary if his kingdom was to prosper. This he had in mind when he planned public education for the masses. He needed men of character—many of them. So he set about developing them. He would not train the mind and forget the soul. To develop intellect without enlightening the soul is to grow a dangerous character. It has been said that one of the great scourges of the world has been men of genius without goodness. Schools are to develop char-

### HAVE ORGANIZED AN ORCHESTRA IN PAYETTE

Payette,—Prof. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson, formerly of St. Paul, Minn., who have recently located here to teach violin and piano, have organized an orchestra. It will be composed entirely of stringed instrument and promises to produce a high class of music. W. L. Hazeltine and V. L. Roberts will assist with the violin and cello.

### YOUNG LADIES TO COLLEGE

In an article published in the Argus last week in regard to the local students leaving for college, the names of two students were overlooked. Miss Leona Rader, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rader of this city, left about ten days ago to attend the Stout Institute at Menominee, Wisconsin, and Theresa Cox, whose parents reside on the Boulevard, has gone to Eugene to enter the University of Oregon. Miss Rader is taking a special course in domestic science and this is her second year. She graduated from the local high school in 1913. Miss Cox was a graduate with the class of 1914.

### B. E. BURGESS LAID TO REST

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock last Wednesday from the family residence for Benjamin F. Burgess who died of neuralgia of the heart Sunday evening September 5. Rev. Kittenhouse of the Seventh Day Adventist church of Ontario officiated. Interment was in the Payette cemetery. Deceased was a war veteran with a commendable record, though not a member of the G. A. R. Post. He was a good citizen, and a consistent member of the Adventist church. He leaves an invalid wife and several children to mourn his loss. He was an old resident of the Washoe community.

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